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## MONEY, STOCKS AND GRAIN

Excessively Quiet Day on New York 'Change and Also One of the Dullest.

Slight Improvement at the Close Owing to a Sudden Spurt-Indianapolis Dealers Have Trouble in Getting Funds.

#### THE BOND MARKET.

Railway and Other Issues Were Irregular-

Snies, \$1,464,000. At New York, yesterday, money on call was easy at 3@6 per cent., the last loan being made at 2, and closing offered at 2 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 6@12 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$1.82@ 4.83 for sixty days, and \$4.87@4.871/2 for demand: commercial bills, \$4.80 4 @4.8614. Silver certificates, no sales reported;

closed at 75c bid. Bar silver closed at 74340 per ounce; Mexican dollars at 59c. At London bar silver closed at 34%d.

It was the quietest day at the New York Stock Exchange for a long time and but for a spurt during the last hour would have been one of the dullest on record. The attendance of brokers and of operators at the board during the morning was exceedingly small, owing to the delay in transportation because of last night's storm. The bears took advantage of this to depress prices and were assisted by the advance in the Bank of England rate of discount to 5 per cent, and the revival of rumors affecting the credit of one or more Wall-street concerns. The general list was depressed 4 @1% per cent., while Wheeling & Lake Erie and Cotton Oil preferred dropped 2% to 4% points. Subsequently It became known that firms supposed to be in financial difficulties had been pulled through and were in no danger of suspension, at the same time money on call became easier, premiums on currency and gold sank lower, and it was reported that several of the savings banks had informed depositors who some time since gave the requisite notice of withdrawals that they could have their funds on demand. These influences led to a sharp from the lowest being equal to 14 to 24 per cent. The fact that the decrease in the earnings of the St. Paul road for the third week of August was smaller than had been anticipated also contributed to the strength of the market as some of the shorts started in to cover. When stocks were wanted the supply was found to be small. Reading was quite conspicuous, and advanced on reports that the forthcoming statement of the receivers would show a material reduction in the floating debt. Speculation left off strong at or near the best figures of the

The railway and miscellaneous bond market was irregular. The transactions amounted to \$1,464,000, against \$1,937,000 vesterday. The Northern Pacific issues were in better request and the bonds show material recovery from yesterday's low figures. Reading bonds were more active Bt a higher range. Northern Pacific consol lives rose 21/2, to 28; Chicago & Northern racific firsts 24, to 384@374; Alton & Terre Haute seconds fell 5, to 90; Chesapeake & Ohio, Richmond & Allegheny consol firsts 4, to 70; Edison Illuminating firsts 24, to 944; Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City firsts 2, to 48. Government bonds were firm. State bonds were dull. Closing

Four per cent, reg.11112 Louis. & Nash... 5378 Four per ct. coup..11112 L. & New Albany. 912 Pacific 6's of '95..102 Missouri Pacific. 2034 Atchison. 15% N. J. Central. 94

Adams Express. 130
Alton & T. H. 17

Alton & T.H. pref. 140

American Express. 103

Northern Pacific. 4<sup>1</sup>2

Northwestern. 95

American Express. 103

Northwestern pr'f. 129 Ches. & Ohio ..... 144 N. Y. Central ..... 973 

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Business Situation Improving, with a Ten-

dency to More Feasonable Prices. Trade thus far this week has shown a steady improvement. Dry-goods men, grocers, hardware men, iron dealers, prodnce and commission men, all talk more sheerfully of the volume of busines in progress and prospective, and with this more reasonable prices on many articles which enter into daily consumption is noticeable. The quality of fruits is improving. Vegetables in better supply. to the market, and seldom are finer peaches offered, and at no luxury prices. Provi-

sions, poultry, eggs and butter are all firm at quotations, butter being very scarce. The local grain market is in better shape than at any time in some weeks, and were t not so difficult to secure money to transset business Indianapolis would be doing a very respetable grain traffic. Track bids yesterday ruled as follows:

Wheat-No. 2 red, 5642c; No. 3 red, 5342c; rejected by sample, 40@50e; wagon, 57c. Corn-No. 1 white, 40 20; No. 2 white, 40 3c; No. 3 white, 40c; No. 4 white, 30@35c; No. 2 white mixed, 40c; No. 3 white mixed, 3942c; No. 4 white mixed, 30@35e; No. 2 yellow, 89c: No. 3 yellow, 384c; No. 4 yellow, 30@ 35c; No. 2 mixed, 30c; No. 3 mixed, 3842c; No. 4 mixed, 20@ 5e; sound ear, yellow, 48c. Oats-No. 2 white, 174c; No. 3 white, 24 4c; No. 2 mixed, 24 4c; No. 3 mixed, 22c; Hay-Choice timothy, \$12; No. 1, \$11.75;

\$10; No. 1 prairie, \$7; mixed, \$8; Rye-No. 2, 43e for car lots; 40e for wagon Bran. \$11.75.

POULTRY AND OTHER PRODUCE. [Prices Paid by Dealers.]

Poultry-Hens, 8e & fb; young chick-ens, 840 & fb; turkeys, toms, 7c & fb; hens, so & lb; ducks, 6c & lb; geese, \$4.20 for Eggs-Shippers paying 11c.

Butter-Grass butter, choice, 14@16c; mixed, 6@8c. Honey-18@20c. Feathers-Prime geese, 400 P 15; mixed

duck, 20c P Beeswax-20c for yellow; 15c for dark. Wool-I nwashed medium wool, 16c; unwashed coarse or braid, 13@14c; unwashed fine merino, 10@13c; tub-washed, 18@23c; burry and cotted wool, So to 6c less than above prices. Hides, Tallow, Etc.

Hides-No. 1 green hides, 21/2c; No. 1 G. S. hides, 3120; No. 2 G. S. bides, 2120; No. calf hides, 5e; No. 2 calf hides, 34c; No. 1 tailow, 34 @40; No. 2 tallow, 340. Tallow-No. 1 tallow, 4c; No. 2 tallow, Grease-White, 44c; yellow, 34c; brown,

## Bones-Dry. \$12@13 1 ton.

## THE JOBBING TRADE.

[The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesaic dealers. CANDIES AND NUTS.

Candies-Stick, 7c & fb; common mixed, Ve; G. A. R. mixed, Se; Banner mixed, 10c; cream mixed, 10 c; old-time mixed, 8c. Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 20c; English walnuts, 16c; Brazil nuts, 10c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 7@80; mixed nuts, 15c.

CANNED GOODS. Peaches - Standard, 3-pound, \$1.85@2; 8-pound seconds, \$1.40@1.50; 3-pound pie, 90@950; California standard. \$2.25@ 2.50; California seconds, \$1.85@2. Miseclianeous-Blackberries, 2-pound, 6 85@ 95c; raepberries, 2-pound, \$1,20@1.25; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 11@1.10; light, 70@75c; 2-pound fuli, \$2@ 2.10; light, \$1.20@1.30; string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10 @1.20; early June, \$1.25 @1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (fbs), \$1.45@2.20; 8-pound tomatoes, \$1,20@1.25.

COAL AND COKE. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 \$7 ton;

Jackson, \$4,25; block, \$3,25; Island City, \$3; Blossburg and English Cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50c below above quotations. Coke-Councilsville, \$3,75 P local, crushed, \$3.25 P load; lump, \$3 P load.

Figs-Layer, 14@15 # 15. Peaches-Common son-dried, 708c P 15; common evaporated, 14@16c; California Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c. Prunes-Turkish, 8@9c P fb; California,

DRIED FRUITS.

Currasts-512 @60 P 16. Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1,75@1.85 P box; London layer, \$1.85@2 P box; Valencia, 8@8420 # 15; layer, 9@10c.

Alcohol, \$2,14@2.40; asafetida, 34c; alum, 4@5c; camphor. 55@60c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65e; copperas, bris, \$1@1.10; cream tartar, pure, 28@30c; indigo, 80@81c; cream tartar, pure, 28@30c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab. genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz. \$2.45; madder, 14@16c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1.25@1.30; oil, bergamot, per fb. \$3; opium, \$3.10; quinine, P. & W., per oz 29@34c; balsam copaiba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 44@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5e; sulphur, flour, 5@fic: saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@40c; glycerine, 16@ 20c; 10dide potassium, \$3@3.10; bomide potassium, 38@40c; enlorate potash, 25c;

borax, 12@14c; cinchonidis, 12@15c; carbolic scid, 28@30c. Oils-Linseed oil, 48@51c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating. 20@30c; miners, 45c. Lard oils-Win-ter strained, in barrels, 80c per gal; in half barrels, Se per gal extra.

Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin L 64c; Berkeley, No. 60, 9c; Cabot, 7c; Capital, 6c; Cumberland, 72c; Dwight Anchor, 82c; Fruit of Loom, 82c; Farwell, 8c; Fitch-ville, 62c; Full Width, 52c; Gilt Edge, 62c; Gilded Age, 72c; Hill, 8c; Hope, 7c; Linwood, 72c; Lonsdale, 82c; Lonsdale Cambric, 1012c; Masonville, 812c; Peabody, 6c; Pride of the West, 1112c; Quinebaugh, 612c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 612c; Pepperell. 9-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 22c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 20the; Androscoggin, 10-4,

Brown Sheetings - Atlantic A. 64c; Argyle, 6c; Boott C. 5c; Buck's Head 64c; Clifton CCC, 6c; Constitution, 40-inch. 8c; Carlisle, 40-inch. 7c; Dwight Star, 740; Great Falls E, 640; Great Falls J, 540; Hill Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 64c; Lawrence LL. 5c; Lockwood B, 64c; A. 54c; Princess, 54c; Saranao R. 64c; Trion Sea Island, 54c; Pepperell E. 64c; Pepperell R. 6c; Pepperell 9-4, 18c; Pepperell 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin 9-4, 1840; Androscoggin 10-4,

Prints-Allen dress styles, 6c; Allen's staples, 54c; Allen TR, 6c: Allen robes, 6c; American indigo, 6c; American robes, 6c; American shirtings, 44c; Arnold merino, 6 2c; Arnold LLC, 8c; Arnold LCB, 9c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 6c; Cocheco madders, 5 2c; Hamfancy, 6c; Manchester fancy, 6e; Merrimac fancy, 6e; Merrimac pinks rally during the last hour, improvement and purples. 6c; Pacific fancy, 6c; Pacitic robes, 64c; Pacific mourning, 6c; Simpson Eddystone, 6c; Simpson Berlin solids, 6c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, 6e; Simpson's mournings, 6c. Ginghams-Amoskeag Staples, 64c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, Se; Bates Warwick Dress, 74c; Johnson BF Fancies, 84c; Lan-

caster, 64c; Lancaster Normandies, 74c; Carrolton, 44c; Renfrew Dress, 84c; Whittenton Heather, Sc; Calcutta Dress Styles, Prime Cambrics-Manville, 440; S. S. & Son's, 44c; Masonville, 44c; Garner, 44c. Tickings-Amoskeag, ACA, 124c; Conestoga, BF, 144c; Cordis, 140, 134c; Cordis, FT, 1312c; Cordis, ACE, 121ac; Hamilton awning, 104c; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 18c; Methuen AA, 12c; Oakland, 200 74c; Oakland, 250, 74c; Oakland, AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 124c; Susquehanna, 144c; Shetucket SW. 740. Shetucket F, 80; Swift

Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$15.50; American, \$15.50; Franklinville, \$18; Harmony, \$15.50; Stark, \$19.50.

Straight grades, \$2.70@3; fancy grades \$2,90@8.15; patentflour, \$3.50@4; low grades

Sugar-Hard sugars, 64 @740; confectioners' A, 5% @64sc; off A, 6@64sc; A. 54@ 612c; extra C, 54 @5%c; yellow C, 4% @5 %c; dark yellow, 4% @4%c. Coffee-Good, 1912@200; prime, 2112@22120; strictly prime, 234 @25 2c; fancy green and yellows, 2542@264c; ordinary Java, 2440 29 c; old government Java, 81@33c; roasted 1-lb packages, 22 4c.

Molasses and Syrnps-New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30@40e; choice, 40@ 45c; syrups, 30@36c. Rice-Louisiana, 34 @5c; Carolina, 44 @ Beans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$2.30@ 2.35 P bu; medium hand-picked, \$2.25@2.30;

limas, California, 50 19 15 Honey-New York stock, 1-15 sections, 16 Spices-Pepper, 16@18c; allapice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@250; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 80 Sait-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@

Woodenware-No, 1 tubs, \$7@7.25; No. 2 tubs, \$6@6.25; No. 3 tubs, \$5@5.25; 3-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.45; double wash-boards, \$2,25@2.75; common wash-boards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes-pins, 50@ Twine-Hemp, 12@18c # 15; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cot-

ton, 16@25c. Shot-\$1.50@1.55 \$\text{\$\tex{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\exititt{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\tex{ Lead-7@740 for pressed bars. Wooden Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$2,20; No. 2, \$2,50; No. 3, \$2.80; No. 5, \$3,50. Flour sacks (paper)-Plain, 1/82 brl, # 1.000, \$3.50; 1/16 bri, \$5; 4 bri, \$8; 4 bri, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1/32 bri, \$7 1,000, \$4.25; 1/16, \$6,50; \( \frac{1}{2} \), \$10; \( \frac{1}{2} \), \$20; No. 1, cream, plain, 1/32, \( \frac{1}{2} \) 1.000. \( \frac{87}{2} \); 1/16, \( \frac{8}{2} \), \( \frac{1}{2} \), \( \fra \$28.50. Extra charge for printing.

IRON AND STEEL Bariron, 1.70@1.80e; horseshoe bar, 2% @ Se; nail rod, 6e; plow slabs, 3e; American cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 2% @3c; spring steel, 41/2 @5c. NAILS AND HORSESHOES.

Steel cut nails. \$1.40; wire nails. \$1.70 rates; horsehoes, W keg. \$4.25; mule-shoes, keg. \$5.25; horse nails, \$4@5. OIL CAKE.

Oil cake, \$24 P ton: oil meal, \$24. PRODUCE, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Apples-\$5@4.50 P barrel. Cantelopes-\$1@1.25 per barrel; choice, \$2.25 per barrel; Terre Haute, 40@50c per basket; 75c P crate.

New Tomatoes-75c@81 per bashel. Bananas-\$1.50@2 Dunch, according to size and quality. Pears-Bartletts, \$1.75@2 Dushel; \$4.75 @5 W barrel. Sweet potatoes-Baltimore, \$4@4.25

Red Plums-50@650 # 5-bu box. Lemons-Choice, \$4.50 \$7 box; fancy \$5.50. Grapes-Ives, \$3 1 stand; Concords, 350 10-pound basket. Plums-Blue Damsons, \$7 1 stand Potatoes-\$2.10@2.25 49 brl.

Peaches-Delawares, \$1@1.25 \$ 50 bu basket: Kentucky, \$2@2.25 D bu. Watermelons-\$10@12 # 100. Onions-75c a bu or \$2.25 P brl. California Plums-\$1.25. Cabbage-Early York, \$1.25 \ brl. Oranges-Seedlings, \$3. Cheese-New York full cream, 1240

1812c; skims, 5@7c 19 15. Apricots-\$1.25@1.50 \$ 4-basket crate. PROVISIONS. Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 hs average. 11 4 c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 12 4c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 12%c; clear bellies, 14 to 18 ths average, 13c; clear backs, medium, 12 to 20

lbs average, 1134c; light, 8 lbs average, 1234c; French backs, 12 lbs average, 10c. Breakfast Bacon-Clear, English-cured. California Hams-Sugar-cured, 10 to 12 Ibs average, 94c. Hams-Sugar cured, 15 ths average, 114c; 124 hs average, 114c; block hams, 134c. Lard-Kettle rendered, in tieroes, 110;

Indiana, 934c. Shoulders-English-cured, 12 lbs average. 104 c: 16 ths average, 104c. Boneless Ham-Sugar-cured, 12c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, & bri, 200 lbs. \$21; rump pork, \$15 \$ brl.

Clover-Choice recleaned 60-15 bu, \$50 5.25; prime, \$4.75@5; English, choice, \$5@ 5.25: Alsike, choice, \$5.50@6; Alfalfa, choice, \$5.55@6. Timothy-45-15 bn, choice, \$2.15 @2.30; strictly prime, \$2.10@2.15. Bluegrass-Faney, 14-75 bu. \$1.15@1.20; extra clean, 85@90c. Orchard grass-Extra, \$1.35 @1.50. Red Top-Choice, 50@600; extra clean, 38@40c. English bluegrass-24-15 bu.

\$2.40@2.50. TINNERS' SUPPLIES. Best brand charcoal tin IC. 10x14, 14x20, 12@12, \$7,50; IX, 10x14, 14x20, and 12x12, \$9,50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$6@6.50; IC, 20x28, \$12@13; block tin, in pigs, 25e; in bars, 27c. Iron-27 B iron, 84 c; Ciron, 5c; galvanized, 674 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 64 @7c. Copper bottoms, 22c. Planished copper, Pitteburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 \$7 ton; | 25c. Solder, 15@16c.

Short Session of the Board, During Which Wheat Declines a Cent.

Influences Relied On to Help the Grain Market Were Bad, Corn Losing on the Report that Late Rains Had Done Little Good.

#### TRADING AT CHICAGO. Provisions Held Firm in the Main, Closing

Higher for Ribs. CHICAGO, Aug. 24.-Lower prices for wheat, corn and oats was the result of trading in to-day's short session. Compared with yesterday's resting prices, wheat is lo lower, corn is off the and oats 3sc. Provisions were, in the main, firm, closing slightly higher for ribs, but rather lower for pork and lard. The influences affecting the wheat market were the dull and depressed, condition of European markets, the lack of export business, foreign buyers apparently not being in any pressing need for wheat, and, notwithstanding low prices, are disposed to hold off. Then it is expected that the spring wheat crop will commence to move soon, and this is having some effect on the operations of traders. The market opened to lower, reacted 40 and declined %c, closing easy at the lowest figure of the day.

There was some firmness imparted to the corn market for a short time by the assertion in the Cincinnati Price Current that very little benefit had accrued to the corn crop west of the Mississippi from the recent rains and none at all to that east of the river. The strength was soon overdone by the weakness of the wheat market and the heaviness at Liverpool, that market being reported weak and ld lower for corn. More rain throughout the country also had considerable influence in strengthening the hands of the shorts. The estimate of 510 cars for to-morrow increased the weakness. I the day.

Absence of buying orders caused oats to recede. The receipts were larger than expected. The close was easy at the inside. Provisions were again largely controlled by the operations of Armour & Co., whose brokers were buyers of moderate quantities of ribs. The latter article ruled strong. but the full amount of the day's advance was not maintained to the close. The net gain in the end was.05c in the September delivery. Lard closed from .024c to .05c lower than it did yesterday and pork was reduced to a nominal price, 150 lower than it closed on the previous day. There was but little demand for vessel room and rates remained nominally unchanged at 14e for wheat and le for corn to Buffalo. Estimated receipts for to-morrow are: Wheat, 90 cars; corn, 510 cars; oats, 335 cars; hogs, 19,000. The leading futures ranged as follows:

Options.	Op'ning	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat-Aug	6038	6058	597 <sub>8</sub>	597
Sept	607a		6014	604
Dec	6778	6818	6718	673
Corn-Aug	3716	8714	3612	365
Sept	8738			367
Oct	2814	3814	3719	371
May	4012	4058	3978	40
Oats-Aug	2314		23	23
Sept	2312			233
May	2912	2958	29	291
Pork-Aug				\$12.90
Sept	\$13.10	\$13.10	\$12.8712	12.90
Oct	12.97 10	13.00	12.9712	13.00
Lard-Aug				8.10
Sept			8,10	8.10
Oct	7.9249	7.9712	7.8712	7.90
S'ribs-Aug				8.05
Sept	8.00	8.15	8.00	8.05
Oct	7.80	7.8712	7.75	7.75

spring wheat, f. o. b., 55c; No. 2 red, 59%c; No. 2 corn. 36%c; No. 3 corn. 36%c; No. 2 oats, 23c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 274@274e; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 254 @274e; No. 2 rye, 45c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, no sales; No. 4, no sales; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.011/2; prime timothy seed, \$3.35@3.40; mess pork, per brl, \$12.90@13.15; lard per pound, 8.10@8.70c; short-rib sides, (loose), 8.20@8.25c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 7,25@7.50c: short-clear sides (boxed), 8.25@8.50c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.12; sugar, cut-loaf, 61s; granulated, 5.57c; standard A, 512c. On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was quiet; creamery, 18@ 24 be; dairy, 17@22c. Eggs, strictly fresh,

Receipts-Flour, 14,000 bris: wheat, 50,658 bu; corn. 813,816 bu; oats, 380,198 bu; rye, 7,030 bu; barley, none. Shipments-Flour, 16,000 bris; wheat, 54,782 bu: corn, 318,441 bn; oats, 201,146 bu; rye, 625 bu; barley, 1,947 bo.

## AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-Flour-Receipts,

24.600 packages; exports, 5,700 bris and 18,800 sacks; sales, 11,600 packages. The market was dull, depressed and lower to sell. Corn meal steady and in fair demand. Rye duli and nominal. Barley mait dull; Western, 65@80c.

Wheat-Receipts, 288,000 bu; exports, 8,-200 bu; sales, 2,260,000 bu futures, 57,000 bu spot. The spot market was dull, % @10 lower and weak; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 6612@6634c, afloat, 6642c; f. o. b., 6744 26734c; ungraded red, 64267c; No. 1 Northern, 674c. Options were moderately active and closed steady at 4 @1 sc decline on dull and depressed cables, weak West and local realizing; No. 2 red, September, 674 @6840. closing at 674c; October, 6942@70420, closing at 69 4c; December, 744 @75 so, closing

at 74% c. Corn-Receipts, 32,900 bu; exports, 44,100 bu; sales, 315,000 bu futures and 54,000 bu spot. Spots were dull, lower and weak: No. 2, 45@46e in elevator; 454@46e affoat. Options were dull and & @ 4clower, closing weak, with large receipts and free offerings; September, 45@45%c, closing at 45c; October, 46 % @46 4c, closing at 46 4sc; December, 4614 @4612c, closing at 4612c. Oats-Receipts, 109,200 bu: exports, 125

bu: seles, 285,000 bu futures, 134,000 bu spot. Spots were dull and lower. Options were dull and easier; August, 2912@29%c, closing at 29%c; September, 29% @30c. closing at 29 %c: October, 304 @30 4c, closing at 30 %c: November, 31c; spot prices: No. 2, 2914@ 294 c; No. 2 white, 324 @83c; No. 2 Chicago, 294 c; No. 8, 29c; No. 3 white, 32c; mixed Western, 30@31c; white Western, 33@38c; white State, 33 @380.

Hay steady and dull. Hops dull and steady. Hides nominal. Cut meats quiet and steady. Lard weaker and dull; Western steam closed at 8.800 asked. Options-Sales, none; September, 8.75e; October, 8.40c. Pork was quiet and

Butter unsettled and quiet. Cheese easy and quiet. Eggs quiet and about steady; receipts, 5,239 packages. Tallow steady and quiet. Cotton-seed oil quiet and steady. Rosin dull and weak. Rice in moderate demand and firm. Molasses-New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, steady and dull.

Coffee-Options opened steady from unchanged to 10 points up, and closed firm at 20@30 points up. Foreign markets were more favorable. There were sold 21,250 bags, including: September, 14.75@15c; October, 14.85@15.05c; November, 14.80@14.15c; December, 14,70@14.95c; January, 14.150; March, 14.60@14.65c; Rio on the spot was firmer but dull at 15% e for No. 7. Sugar-Raw active at a decline; fair refining, So; centrifugals, 96 test, 34c; sales, 2,000 tons muscovado, 89 test, at 3c; 50,000 bags centrifugals, 96 test, at 342c, and 2,500 bags molasses sugar, 89 test, at 24c; refined active and firm.

## TRADE IN GENERAL

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Other Points.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24.-Flour dull and demand light. Wheat was dull and weak on liquidation and lack of outside trade, closing 34 @1 se lower; No. 2 red, cash and August, 57 se; September, 58 se; October, 60 sc; December, (5 se. Corn was weak, in sympathy with wheat, closing 120 sc off; No. 2 mixed, cash and August, 334c; September, 33%c: December, 33%c; the year, 33%c. Oats weak; No. 2, cash, 26c; August, 264c; September, 23%c. Rye-No. 2, regular, 47c. Barley-Nothing doing. Bran firm: 63c on east track, sacked. Flaxseed unchanged. Hay steady and unchanged. Butter and eggs unchanged. Corn meal, whisky, cot-

CHICAGO CEREALS LOWER Provisions firm. Pork and lard unchanged.
Dry-saited meats - Loose shoulders, 7c; longs and ribs, 8.30c; shorts, 8.80c; boxed lots.15c more. Bacon-Packed shoulders, 8.85c; longs and ribs, 9.624c; shorts, 10c. Hams unchanged. Receipts-Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 100,000 bu; corn. 22,000 bu; oats. 15,000 bn. Shipments - Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 21,000 bu; corn, 68,000 bu; oats, 12,000

> MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 24. - September wheat opened at 55 %c, being %c under yesterday's close; advanced to 55% c, then sold down to 55@55 sc. advanced to 55 sc. and fluctuated within parrow limits, closing at 55%c. December opened at 62c, against 62%c yesterday; advanced to 62%c, then sold down to 61%c, but advanced and closed at 624c. Cash wheat was fairly active, with a good demand from local millers for the best grades. No. 1 Northern, old, sold at 57@584c; new at 56c; No. 2 Northern, old, 56c; new, 54c; No. 3 Northern held nominally at about 2c under No. 2. The receipts of wheat here were 115 carloads; shipments, 20 carloads. Cash wheat on track closed: No.1 hard, old, 59 2c; new, 58c; No. 1 Northern, old, 56c; No. 2 Northern, old, 55 2c; new, 54c. The flour market was quiet. Prices of wheat are lower, and tend to make the flour market lower, but millers are not inclined so far to follow the decline, and are asking late prices. Ocean freights are easier. Through rate to Liverpool and London is quoted to-day at 36c. Flour is quoted at \$3.65@3.85 for first patents, \$3.25@3.55 for second patents, \$1.85@ 2.25 for fancy and export pakers', and \$1.20 @1.35 for low grades in bags, including Red Dog. The daily output of mills grinding to-day will probably aggregate 30,200 barrels. The bran and shorts market is quiet for feed, with sellers quoting \$1.25, mostly for bulk bran. Shorts, 89.50@10.50. Shipments, 1,039 tons.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 24. - Flour was dull and unchanged. Wheat-Speculation was bearish and prices declined 1@14c, closing weak; cables slow and generally lower; little export demand; No. 2 red, in export elevator, 64%c; No. 2 red, August, 64 8 @64 8c; September, 64 8 @65 8c; October, 68% @674sc; November, 68% @694sc. Corn—Options about 4se lower; local car lots in small supply, but demand light and prices in buyers' favor; No. 2 mixed, in Twentieth-street elevator, 484 @49c: No. 2 mixed, August and September, 45@451/2c; October, 464c: November, 46@47c. Oats-The local trade demand for car lots was light and prices further declined lo under m. re liberal offerings; futures nominal; old The close was at about the lowest prices of No. 8 white, 36c; old ungraded white, 37c: old No. 2 white, 38c; new No. 2 white, 37@ 28c. Receipts-Flour, 3,800 bris and 9,000 sacks; wheat, 13,000 bu; corn, 3,500 bu; oats, 14,500 ba. Shipments-Whest, 18,000 bu: corn, 3,500 bu; oats, 13,000 bu.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 24.-Wheat weak; No. 2 red. spot, 644c; September, 654c; October, 674c. Corn weak; No. 2 mixed, spot, 454 c; September, 45%c; October, 45%c. Oats steady; No. 2 white Western, 34c. Rye very quiet; No. 2, 53c. Hay easier; good to choice timothy, \$15.50@16. Grain freights rather easy and unchanged. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Butter quiet: fancy creamery, 24c. Eggs firm at 154sc. Coffee steady; Rio No. 7, 164c.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24. - Flour steady. Wheat dull and lower: No. 2 red, 584c; receipts, 4,200 bn; shipments, 4,000 bu. Corn weak; No. 2 mixed, 4012c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 27c. Rye firm; No. 2, 494c. Lard dull at 8@8.12 c. Bulk meats firm at 9@9.25c. Bacon steady at 10.25@10.374c. Whisky steady; sales. 334 bris of finished goods on a basis of \$1.12. Butter steady and quiet. Sugar steady. Eggs strong at 111/2 @12c. Cheese firm.

DETROIT, Aug. 24.—The market closed weak and lower. Wheat-No. 1 white, 594c; No. 2 red, 594c; No. 3 red, 574c; September, 594c; December, 674c. Corn-No. 2, cash, 42c. Oats-No. 2 white, 29c; No. 2 mixed, 26c. Receipts-Wheat, 36,400 bu; corn, 6,500 bu; oats, 7,900 bu.

OIL CITY, Aug. 24.-National Transit certificates opened at 591sc; highest, 591sc; lowest, 585sc; closing, 585sc. Sales, 1,000 bris; clearauces, 8,000 bris; shipments, 95,569 bris; runs, PITTSBURG, Aug. 24.—National Transit cer-

tificates opened at 59c; closed at 58%c; highest, 59c; lowest, 58%c. Sales, 5,000 bris. CHARLESTON, Aug. 24. -Turpentine, 25c. Rosin quiet at 80c for good strained. SAVANNAH, Aug. 24. - Spirits of turpentine firm at 23 c. Rosin firm at 85c. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-Petroleum dull an steady; United, 50120.

nels ment . Dry Goods. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.-A little increase in the demand for dry goods was perceptible to-day. The somewhat larger business doing simply reflects the now growing trade of jobbers, and relates principally to staple cottons and novelties in fine goods. There is some light duplicating around, and on the basis of actual wants will show some increase from week to week. Large buyers are doing very much the same way as the smaller ones-taking little at a time as often as required. There was nothing new in detail unless that bleached cottons shared better. The outlook is felt to be improving, and there is increasing confidence.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Pig iron dull and steady; American, \$12.75@15.50. Copper quiet; lake, 9.50c. Lead quiet; domestic, 3.50c. Tin strong; Straits, 18.90c bid; plates dull and steady; spelter steady; domestic, 3.70c. On 'Change sales of 10 tons of spet tin at 19c. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24.-Lead strong at 3.20c;

Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 24. - Cotton quiet. Good middling, 74c; middling, 615-16c; low middling, 611-16c; good ordinary, 63sc; net receipts, 365 bales; gross receipts, 328 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,099 bales; sales, 300 bales; stock 44,683 bales.

## LIVE STOCK.

spelter dull at 3.55c.

Cattle Scarce and Quiet-Hogs Weak and Lower-Sheep Steady.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 24. - CATTLE -Receipts, 324; shipments, 65. The receipts were very light and the market was quiet

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with all sold. Pigs...... 4.50 75.50 SHEEP AND LAMBS-The receipts were light and the market was steady on good grades, others were dull and slow of sale. Good to choice sheep......\$3,00@3,50 

Bucks, per head..... 2.00@4.00 Einewharn. CHICAGO, Aug. 24.-The Evening Journal reports: Cattle-Receipts, 13,000; shipments, ---. The market was weak for natives; Texans and Westerns strong. Native steers, common to best, \$2.75@5; cows, \$2.75@3.25; Texans, \$1.40@2.40; Westerns,

Hogs-Receipts, 28,000; shipments, -The market closed 25@30c higher for heavy hogs and 5@10c higher for light. Mixed and packing, \$5.10@5.25; prime heavy, \$5.25 @5.40; butchers' weights, \$5.25@5.571; light, \$5,60@5,90; good mixed, \$5,25@5.50. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 12,000; shipments, ---. The demand was slow and prices lower, except for top natives and

wethers. \$3,75@4.15; Westerns, \$2.10@2.75; lambs, \$2.50@5.25. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21.-Cattle-Receipts. 3,100; shipments, 2,500. The market was 10c lower for Texas; best price for steers, \$3.10; common, \$2.50. Hogs-Roceipts, 3,200; shipments, 1,600.

The market opened lower and closed

prime lambs. Natives, \$2.25@3.50; extra

steady and 10c higher; top price, \$5,60; bulk of sales at \$5,20@5,50. Sheep-Receipts, 600; shipments, 400. The market was steady. CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.-Hogs lower at \$4@5.50. Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,500.

Cattle easy at \$2@4.50. Receipts, 500; shipments, 200. Sheep easy at \$1.75@4. Receipts, 5,800; shipments, 3,900. Lambs easy at \$2@5.25. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 24 .- Cattle- Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 4,500. The market ton bagging and iron cotton ties unchanged. | was steady to strong. Texas and shipping | summer.

steers, \$1.75@5.15; Texas and native cows, \$1.20@3; butchers' stock, \$3@4.15; stockers and feeders, \$1.50@3.50. Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 2,500. The market was 10@20c higher. The bulk of the sales were at \$4.75@5.85; heaviest, packers and mixed, \$4.50@5.85; lights, York-

ers and pigs, \$5.15@5.50. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 200; shipments, 100. The market was steady. EAST LIBERTY, Aug. 21 .- Cattle-Receipts, 500; shipments, 361. The market was steady at yesterday's quotations. No cattle were shipped to New York to-day. Hogs - Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 800. The market was slow and 10c off from yesterday's prices. Extreme heavy to choice light weights, \$5.60@6. Five carloads of hous were shipped to New York to-day. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 1,200; shipments, 1,200. The market was slow and unchanged from vesterday's quotations. NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Beeves-Receipts, 56. No trade. Calves-Receipts, 106. The market was

steady. Veals, \$5@6,75. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 4,468. The market was active and firm. Sheep, \$2.50 @4; lambs, \$1@6. Hogs-Receipts, 4,410. The market was slow at \$5.50. BUFFALO, Aug. 24.-Cattle-The market

was slow and weak. Good steers, \$3.75. Hogs-The market was lower. Good light Yorkers, \$5.95. Sheep and Lambs-The market was dull for good mixed sheep. Choice lambs, \$5.

#### REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Eight Transfers, with a Total Consideration of \$6,435, Instruments filed for record in the recorder's othee of Marion county, Indians, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 P. M., Aug. 24, 1893. as furnished by Elliott & Butler, abstracters of titles, Hartford Block, No. 84 East Market

The Syndicate Land Company to Theodore C. Michel, lot 27, in block 4, in Tuxedo Park addition...... Patrick J. Mullaney to Edward J. Gauspohl, lots 26 and 27, in Mullaney's addition to Brightwood .... 1,250.00 Charles M. Cross, trustee, to Horace R. Kelly, lots 105 and 106, in Chas. M. Cross, trustee's Clifford-avenue Amanda T. Whitson to James A. Freeland and wife, lot 10, in Charles F. Reisner's subdivision, in West In-Alexander N. Clark to John D. South, lot 66, in Olleman et al.'s Belmont J. W. Crews to Conard Jennings, lots

Lovett, part of lot 3, in Wingate's George W. Seibert et al. to Charles H. 210.00 Lovett, lot 14, in Seibert & Cruse's first addition..... Transfers, 8; consideration......\$6,435.00

94 and 95, in Fioral Park addition ..

Wilhelmina Metzger to Charles H.

American Farm News. Most articles in agricultural papers point out something that the farmer should do in the way of active work. Many of them propose improved ways of performing the labor, but they are nearly all concerned with some phase of toil. In the age of steam and electricity, of

Should Take Life Easier.

wonderful intellectual expansion and equally remarkable material development, there is a constant and an almost universal tendency to overdo. The people of the present day are living too fast. Their ambitions are great and they are in altogether too much haste to accomplish their purpose. There is an almost ceaseless rush and scramble. There is also a general, and an almost insatiable, desire to grasp more than we have -perhaps more than it would be well for us to have. We live agreat deal faster than our fathers did. Much of the work that they were obliged to do by hand we do with machines. We do a great deal more than they were able to accomplish, but we are no better satisfied than they were. We have many luxuries of which they never dreamed, but whether we are really happier than they were may be considered an open question. It may also be questioned whether, with all the great privileges we have which they never knew, we are forming better characters than theirs, or are doing the real work of life any better than it was done by them. It is worse than useless to work so hard and so constantly as to become prematurely worn out and be unable to take pleasure in life at the time when we should be in the fullness of our powers and at the height of enjoyment. Yet this is just what multitudes of people in our farming communities are doing. They are injuring themselves and their children by their excessive devotion to their daily toil. Their finer natures are neglected and the noblest purposes of life are very largely lost sight of in the struggle for material benefits. We ought to "slow up," take things more quietly, look beyond this day with its cares and anxieties and give more time to the cultivation of the characters which will remain with

us when our present burdens will be things of the far away past. It is well to take care of the farm and of the cattle, but it is very far from well to give so much attention and interest to the land and the stock as to leave the owner no opportunity to develop his higher nature and provide for the intellectual and moral cultivation of his family. This development and cultivation is essential to the highest usefulness of all who are co cerned and is also absolutely required to make the home life cheerful and happy.

Poultry Notes.

Farmers' Guide. Just think of it, chicken costs less than pork, and is much better. Sort your eggs as to color, if you want them to look and sell well. Thoroughly whitewash the inside of your

poultry house. Oyster shells crushed will supply the necessary time needed for eggshells. Do not complain that it is too hard work, but be thankful that you are able to do it. Furnish sitting hens with good, fresh, clean nests in a darkened place, and put them on in the evening. Ducks lay at night or early in the morn-

ing. Don't let them out until after 9 or 10 o'clock. They seldom use a nest, A little charcoal mixed with soft feed will sid digestion and prevent disease. It is a good purifier of the blood and system. Little chicks will do better in the garden than any other place if you can confine the hens to prevent their making trouble. The indestructible stoneware drinking fountains are as good as any kind we have seen, and have the advantage of being

Common every day dust is the best exterminator for chicken lice. Give them plenty and place it where they can revel Sitting bens should have food, water. some exercise and a good dusting every

day, and if they won't get off the nest take The refuse bones should be saved from the table and broken up into small pieces

for the fowls. They will eat them greedily.

Some Recipes. Baked Apples, Peaches, or Pears-Wipe he fruit and put into a jar, with sugar be-

tween the layers, covering them with cold water. Bake three or four bours, closely covered, in a slow oven. Use half the quantity of water and sugar with sweet apples. If the pears are large bake five or six hours. Pare peaches before baking them. Serve with plain or whipped cream. Croquettes-The following is a nice way to use odds and ends of cold meat: One cupful of chopped ham or beef, one cupful of milk, one cupful of bread crumbs, two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of meited butter: season well with pepper and sait, make into small cakes about half an inch thick and fry brown in butter.

Corn Soup-Grate the corn from half a dozen ears; put the cobs in a kettle and cover with half a gallon of water; let boil slowly for half an hour, take out, put in the corn and boil until done. Press through a sieve, season with sait and pepper and let simmer. Rub three tablespoonfuls of butter and two of flour together: stir into the soup, pour in a pint of hot milk, cook one minute; add the beaten yolks of two eggs and serve.

Canned Fruit Juices-Press juice from fresh, ripe fruit, strain through a flannel bag, and to each pint of juice add one oup-ful of granulated sugar. Heat to the boiling point and seal in small fruit cans or bottles. In the latter only use new corks. Press them in firmly and cover with plaster of paris. Use, diluted with water, for cooling drinks or in cake, puddings and sauces.

Getting Even.

New York Herald. Farmer Brushfence-Haouw did old Pothook ever pay thet heavy doctor's bill he ran up all winterf Farmer Hoecorn-He got the doctor to come out an' board with him for a week this

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